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PATENT APPLICATION

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Attorney Docket No: 12935US02

#### PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL



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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

Inventor(s):

Robert W. Naismith

This new application is for a:

Title:

CONSOLIDATION, AGGREGATION, AND DISTILLATION OF INTERACTIVE FINANCIAL INFORMATION EXCHANGE UTILIZING ONLINE ANALYSTS

This application is a:

#### 1. Type of Application

	<u>x</u> utilit	ry patent.	continuation	
	des	sign patent.	divisional	
			continuation-in-part (CIP)	
			of prior application	
2.	Application Papers Enclosed			
	<u>1</u>	Title Page		
	<u>20</u>	Pages of Specification	(excluding Claims, Abstract & Drawings)	
	_4	Page(s) of Claims		
	_1	Page(s) of Abstract		
	_3	Sheet(s) of Drawings	(Figs. <u>1</u> to <u>3</u> )	
		Formal		
		x Informal		

### **CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.10**

I hereby certify that this Patent Application Transmittal and the documents referred to as enclosed therewith are being deposited with the United States Postal Service on December 28, 2001, in an envelope addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231 utilizing the "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service of the United States Postal Service under Mailing Label No. EL 649 149 882 US.

### 3. Declaration or Oath

#### Enclosed

Executed by (check all applicable boxes)

Inventor(s) (copy from prior application)

Legal representative of inventor(s)

(37 CFR 1.42 or 1.43)

Joint inventor or person showing a proprietary interest on behalf of inventor who refused to sign or cannot be reached

The petition required by 37 CFR 1.47 and the statement required by 37 CFR 1.47 are enclosed. See Item 5D below for fee.

 $\underline{X}$  Not enclosed - the undersigned attorney or agent is authorized to file this application on behalf of the applicant(s). An executed declaration will follow.

# 4. Additional Papers Enclosed

	Preliminary Amendment
	Information Disclosure Statement, including copies of cited references
_	Declaration of Biological Deposit
	Computer readable copy of sequence listing containing nucleotide and/or amino acid sequence
	Verified statement(s) claiming small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27
	Associate Power of Attorney
	Verified translation of a non-English patent application
_	An assignment of the invention (copy of recorded assignment(s) from prior
	application)
	Certified copy(ies) of application(s):

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from which priority under 35 USC 119 is claimed

is(are) attached.

will follow.

Other

# 5. Filing Fee Calculation (37 CFR 1.16)

# A. \_\_ Utility Application

CLAIMS AS FILED - INCLUDING PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT (IF ANY)						
		SMALL ENTITY		OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY		
	NO. FILED	NO. EXTRA	RATE	FEE	RATE	FEE
BASIC FEE	3		2	\$		
TOTAL	-20	= 0	X 9 =	\$	X 18 =	\$
INDEP.	- 3	= 0	X 39 =	\$	X 78 =	\$
9First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim + 130			+ 130 =	\$	+ 270 =	\$
Filing Fee:				OR		

	В. С.	Design Application (\$155.00/\$310.00)  Plant Application (\$240.00/\$480.00)	Filing Fee:	\$		
	D.	Other Fees				
		Recording Assignment [Fee \$40.00 per assig	Recording Assignment [Fee \$40.00 per assignment]			
		Petition fee for filing by other than all the inventors or person on behalf of the inventor where inventor refused to sign or cannot be reached [Fee \$130.00]		\$		
		Other		\$		
6.	Metho	Total Fees E	nclosed	\$		
		Enclosed check in the amount of:		\$		
		Charge Deposit Account No. 13-0017 in the am A copy of this Transmittal is enclosed.	ount of:	\$	0.00	
		X Not enclosed				

# 7. Deposit Account and Refund Authorization

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